

PLENTY OF WORK FOR ALL COMERS ON THE CUT-OFF

Construction Manager Denies Turning Men Away.

SAYS PROFESSIONAL HOBOES ARE NO GOOD IN CAMPS

"The stories that are told about there being more men than are needed on the Beien cut-off are without foundation," said J. A. Burton, manager of the camps on the Epris end of the line yesterday evening at the Alvarado, where he is stopping for a day or two. "We could easily place fifty good men, and the same condition prevails at all the camps along the line."

"Every willing laborer can find a job who will go to the line for it and there has never been a time while the work has been in progress on the cut-off, that there have been men enough. "Tramps are a detriment to any camp and will not be tolerated, as they are continually kicking about one thing or another, principally complaining that the work is too hard. All that is required of our men is to do a fair day's work. We have been very good to our men and some of them have been in the employ of the company for seven years past."

"The trouble is that too many men want to get over the road and are not desirous of getting honest employment. They either want a soft job or no job at all."

"It is not reasonable to suppose that a construction company will place orders for more men than are needed and will go to the expense of shipping them a thousand miles, or any distance for that matter, if they do not want them. There is plenty of work on the cut-off and the great trouble has been to get men to come to the camps who will stay. The conditions at all of the camps are better than on most work of this character, higher wages are paid and our men are well fed and cared for."

JOLLY EAGLES ENTERTAIN THEIR LADY FRIENDS AT DANCING PARTY

Albuquerque Aerle, No. 165, Fraternal Order of Eagles, entertained the ladies last evening. The entertainment which was cleverly planned and carried out was a series of surprises and from a social standpoint was the event of lodge circles of this season.

There were games for which handsome prizes were awarded to the ladies, a short musical program was rendered after which dancing took up the remainder of the evening.

At 11 o'clock the ladies were escorted to the banquet room where a delightful repast was served.

The party was given in return for one which was given to the gentlemen some time ago.

Mesilla Park Girls Win.

In their first public contest, the basketball team of the El Paso high school Saturday afternoon met defeat at the hands of the Mesilla Park five, says the El Paso Herald.

The score at the end of the match stood 18 to 7, but the collegians did their decisive work in the first half, at the end of which the score stood 14 to 2 in their favor. The score for the second half was 5 to 4 in favor of the locals.

The superior condition of the team from the College of Agriculture and Mechanical Arts was apparent at the outset. The locals have not had the advantage of any strong competition in practice, while the girls from Mesilla park have trained against the boys' team at the college.

In the second half the locals repaired some of their most serious shortcomings, and held the visitors more evenly. In the first half the visiting forwards had been left almost entirely unguarded and the score rolled up rapidly, but in the second half the El Paso guards put up more effective defense.

Would Be Annexed to Sonora.

Benjamin Packard, of Naco, Arizona, is staying at the Hollenbeck hotel, says the Los Angeles Examiner.

Mr. Packard is among the wealthy cattle and mining men of the territory. He is like almost all Arizonians, deeply impressed at the threatened action of congress in adopting the bill making Arizona and New Mexico one state.

"I agree with what Col. Epes Randolph recently said in your paper," said Mr. Packard yesterday, "that it would be better for the material interests of Arizona to be ceded to Mexico and annexed to Sonora. They do have a good government in Sonora and the people are intelligent and progressive. "There does not seem to be anything that we can do to prevent the joint statehood crime, but we will keep on fighting. All of the facts will be laid before congress, and then if a republican administration decides to betray our people we will have to take our medicine, but I can tell you there won't be many republicans left in Arizona if we are treated with such infamy."

"I am here in the interests of our territorial fair as I am one of the three commissioners. We will have six days racing at Phoenix, and will give out a lot of generous purses. A number of good horses are already there and I am here to meet horsemen hoping to get some of them to enter."

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VIGIL IS FOUND GUILTY OF ASSAULT UPON ABRAN DIMAS

Estayio Vigil, former superintendent of schools and until recently czar of the populous precinct of Barajas, was yesterday found guilty of plain assault and battery in the case charging him with assault on the person of Abran Dimas, on June 29th, 1904, with intent to murder. An attempt was made to indict Vigil a year ago but without result. The last grand jury found a true bill against him, charging assault with intent to kill. The jury found it a case of simple assault.

Vigil is still under indictments found by the same grand jury charging him with embezzlement, and in another with misappropriation of public funds. Both of these cases are based on alleged crooked transactions during Vigil's terms as county school superintendent.

PROGRAM ARRANGED FOR PRELIMINARY CONTEST AT HIGH SCHOOL

The following is the program of the High school oratorical contest to be held tonight in the Central High school assembly room, beginning at 8 o'clock:

"The Soldiers' Chorus"—From Gounod's "Faust".....
High School Glee Club.
Oration.....Elsie Sackett, '05
Vocal Duet—"From My Swiss Home".....
Miss Edith Harrison, Miss Aline Bixler.
Oration.....Sam Ho Kee, '06
Whistling Solo.....Miss Lolo Neher
Oration.....Alice Schreiber, '08
"Blue Are the Heavens".....Glee Club
Oration.....Josephine McDonald, '08
Piano Solo.....Miss Lillian Hesseiden
Decision of Judges.
Awarding of prize.

Mrs. Corey in Albuquerque.
Mrs. William E. Corey, whose domestic disagreements with her husband, the head of the steel trust, recently furnished a three days' sensation for eastern newspapers, passed through Albuquerque Monday night, on the Santa Fe limited. Mrs. Corey, it is said, hurriedly left Los Angeles for the east Sunday night, on receipt of a telegram from Pittsburg. She was accompanied by her sister-in-law, Miss A. Corey, and two friends.

What have you to trade for property at Los Cerrillos, cost \$1250; trading price one-half of cost. A snap if you can use the property. Don't be afraid to talk with me. T. L. McSpalden, 300 South Broadway.

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PRICHARD IS INVITED TO ATTEND INSURANCE CONFERENCE

The recent insurance exposures have attracted such general attention to the condition of affairs that a meeting will be held in Chicago on February first of governors, attorney generals and insurance commissioners of all states and territories to discuss the situation.

The following letter, received by Attorney General Prichard gives the details of the proposed meeting:

Washington, Dec. 14, 1905.
Hon. George W. Prichard, Attorney General, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dear Sir:—In view of the interest that is now being taken in the business of insurance throughout the country and in many sections abroad, also because of the belief almost universally existing that the disturbed situation requires the wisest, most thoughtful and comprehensive consideration, it has been suggested by several officials, who rank high in public life, that a conference of all the governors, attorney generals and insurance commissioners of the states, territories and the District of Columbia be held for the purpose of considering matters pertaining to life insurance in general.

Therefore, after a preliminary conference, held in New York City last week, with a number of insurance commissioners, and an extended meeting that was subsequently held in this city on the 8th, 10th and 11th instants at which meeting the following gentlemen were present, viz: Insurance Commissioners Reilly E. Folk, of Tennessee; Thomas D. O'Brien, of Minneapolis; B. P. Carroll, of Iowa; Zeno M. Host, of Wisconsin; W. Q. Cole, of Mississippi; Henry R. Prewitt, of Kentucky; Frank H. Hardison, deputy of Nebraska; and myself; Consulting Actuaries, Clayton C. Hall, of Baltimore, Md.; S. Herbert Wolfe, of New York City, and W. J. Graham, of Kentucky; and Examiner C. P. Wolford, of the Tennessee insurance department; it was deemed advisable to call such a meeting and to that end and as chairman of the conference above referred to, which I was directed by President Roosevelt to attend, also by Hon. Henry B. F. MacFarland, president of the board of commissioners of the District of Columbia, I hereby invite and urge you to be present at a meeting to be held in the city of Chicago, Illinois, on Thursday, February 1, 1906, at 10 o'clock a. m.

Please inform me promptly whether you will attend, in order that I may be able at an early date to definitely arrange for hotel accommodations and a hall in which to hold the convention; after completion of which arrangements you will be advised.

Yours very respectfully,
THOMAS E. DRAKE,
Superintendent of Insurance, District of Columbia.

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Globe Store Christmas Suggestions

A PERPLEXING QUESTION—That of deciding what to give to different members of the family for Christmas. However, Christmas is almost here and that question must be decided at once. It is not the cost of the present that makes it acceptable, but its appropriateness and suitability to the wants and desires of the recipient. For the guidance and assistance of those who are in doubt as to what to give we here submit a list of such things as would be suitable for the different members of the family:

For the Mother	For the Son	For the Children	For Grandmother	For the Daughter	For the Father
Handsome Girdle Diamond Brand Street Shoes Embroidered Hose Knit Skirt Fascinator Dressing Sacque Kid Gloves Wool Gloves, very warm New Dress Table Cloth with Napkins Hemstitched Damask Towels House Slippers Mexican Drawnwork Dollies Shoulder Shawl Japanese Drawnwork Lunch Cloths American Drawnwork Pillow Shams Silk-covered Wool-filled Comforter Embroidered Handkerchiefs Pair of White Blankets Marselles Bed Spread Silk Umbrella	Initial Handkerchiefs Handkerchiefs Silk Suspenders with Silver Buckle Pair of Case Patent Leather Dress Shoes Neckties Collars Gloves Embroidered Hose Silk Muffler Kid Gloves Full Dress Shirts Corliss-Coon Collars Silk Underwear Pair of Golf Gloves Military Hair Brushes Splendid Clothes Brush Stetson or Shilled's Hat Silk Hat Fancy Sweater Silk Umbrella Heavy Stockings School Shoes Leggings Pocket Comb and Glass	Train of Cars and Track Magic Lantern Drum Steam Engine Tin Horn Toy Milk Wagon Music Box Toy Gun Big Express Wagon Violin Mechanical Boat Musical Top Bean Bag Board Books Doll Trunks Dolls Toy Tables Toy Safes Toy Bureau Magnets Games Warm Cup Hats Combs Hair Brushes Warm Caps Hats	Knit Circular Shawl Felt Slippers Easy Shoes Wool Hose New Dress Wool Gloves Stock Collar Warm Wrapper Pleeced Cotton Sheets Turnover Collars & Cuffs Black Kid Gloves For Grandfather Wool Gloves Silk Muffler Merino Socks Soft Walking Shoes Wool Underwear Coat Shirts Soft Wool Shirts Silk Suspenders Handkerchiefs Silk Hat Silk Umbrella	Goods for an Evening Dress Pair of Silk Stockings Pair of Burt's Dancing Slippers Silk Shirtwaist Pattern Pair of Elbow-length Gloves Drawnwork Dresser Scarf Pair of Diamond Brand Walking Shoes Leather Wrist Bag Embroidered Handkerchiefs Fascinator Fancy Stock Collar Manicure Set Carved Leather Purse Handkerchiefs in Fancy Boxes Lace Turnover Collar Water Color Calendars Embroidered Collars & Cuffs Handsome Corset Muslin Underwear Fancy Hosiery Underwear Fine Laces and Ribbons Veils	Silk Muffler Silk Umbrellas Handsome Tie Box of Initial Handkerchiefs Fancy Hose Dress Gloves Pair of Fine Shoes Silk Suspenders Silk Hat Derby Hat Soft Hat Slippers Dress or Negligee Shirts For the Baby Fancy Moccasins Bootes Fancy Shoes Cashmere Hose Crocheted Sacques Wool Sweaters Bearskin Caps Mittens Dolls Rattles All Kinds of Toys

When in search of goods for Holiday purposes look for the Big Globe Sign, on West Railroad Avenue, which marks the entrance to The Globe Store, where all articles enumerated in the above lists are kept in stock and are sold at honest prices.